

SENATE RESOLUTION 16  
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A RESOLUTION to re-appoint Dr. Jay P. Sellick to the Tennessee  
Peace Officer Standards and Training  
Commission.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 38-8-102, the Tennessee Peace Officer Standards and Training Commission (POST Commission) was established; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this commission is, among other things, to assist the Governor in developing, planning, and implementing law enforcement training programs for all law enforcement officers in Tennessee, and additionally to receive, administer, and expend local, state, federal, and other monetary assistance to further the training of law enforcement officers in this State; and

WHEREAS, the Senate is authorized to appoint to serve on the commission a citizen of this State; and

WHEREAS, anyone worthy of appointment to serve on the Tennessee Peace Officer Standards and Training Commission should preferably have a background in community and state service, success in the business and academic professions, and a demonstrated familiarity with the world of law enforcement; and

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WHEREAS, pursuant to Senate Resolution No. 83 of the One Hundred First General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, Dr. Jay P. Sellick was appointed to serve as a citizen member of the POST Commission; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Sellick was and remains one of the most highly qualified individuals that this august body could ever hope to appoint to the Peace Officer Standards and Training Commission; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Sellick formerly served as Chairman of the Law Enforcement Subcommittee of the Metropolitan Nashville Mayor's Commission on Crime; and

WHEREAS, he currently serves as a Visiting Faculty member and Certified Instructor at the Tennessee State Law Enforcement Academy, where he trains students in the areas of police administration, first-line supervision, mid-management, and command decision in courses taught throughout the State; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Sellick is also a faculty consultant at the United States Army Military Police School at Fort McClellan, Alabama, where he has taught principles of management in the Advance Officer's Course; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Sellick has also previously taught as a Professor of Management, and he was Chairman of the Advisory Board and Criminal Justice Program at Belmont University; he now serves as a lecturer and consultant at the Center for Government Training at the University of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, he faithfully served his country during a time of crisis as a pilot in World War II; he has served over thirty total years with the United States Army, in the active forces and with the Reserves and National Guard, attaining the rank of Colonel, Military Police; and

WHEREAS, during his exemplary military career, he has been honored with the Legion of Merit, the Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation, and the Army Achievement Medal; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Sellick is a former Director of Instruction and faculty member of the Command and General Staff College of the United States Army at the University of Southern Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Sellick has over thirty years of engineering, marketing, and operations management experience; he is a registered professional (industrial) engineer, a certified professional manager, and a certified manufacturing engineer; and

WHEREAS, he has further demonstrated his business prowess as the Director and President of Link Systems, a national business in the manufacture and sales of electronic controls and systems for production machinery and industrial processes, with factories in Kingston Springs and Nashville; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Sellick attends the McKendree Methodist Church, where he serves as a member of the Administrative Board and teaches Sunday School; and

WHEREAS, we are grateful for Dr. Sellick's stellar service to the State of Tennessee as a member of the Peace Officer Standards and Training Commission and wish to reappoint him to this important position; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 38-8-102 (b)(1)(F), the Senate hereby re-appoints Dr. Jay P. Sellick to serve as a member of the Tennessee Peace Officer Standards and Training Commission.